

General Election – Greenbelt Precincts
(Unofficial Results)

Precinct Polling Place	21- 3 Community Center	21- 6 Greenbelt Elementary	21- 8 Springhill Lake	21-13 Eleanor Roosevelt	21-18 Turning Point Academy	Total	Percent
President - Vice President							
Obama-Biden	1,312	1,081	905	1,265	1,097	5,660	86%
Romney-Ryan	259	290	23	93	109	774	12%
Johnson-Gray	21	21	4	4	5	55	1%
Stein-Honkala	36	40	7	3	4	90	1%
Write-in	14	15	2	6	3	40	1%
Total	1,642	1,447	941	1,371	1,218	6,619	100%
U.S. Senate							
Cardin	1,165	970	808	1,148	951	5,042	78%
Bongino	187	210	18	72	87	574	9%
Ahmad	38	26	9	10	10	93	1%
Sobhani	199	202	79	106	124	710	11%
Write-in	4	3	0	1	0	8	0%
Total	1,593	1,411	914	1,337	1,172	6,427	100%
U.S. Congress							
Hoyer	1,234	1,052	840	1,207	1,046	5,379	84%
O'Donnell	217	225	36	91	85	654	10%
Vohra	20	20	8	15	13	76	1%
Auerbach	104	110	14	20	14	262	4%
Write-in	3	2	1	1	5	12	0%
Total	1,578	1,409	899	1,334	1,163	6,383	100%
State Question 4 - DREAM Act							
For	1,224	1,026	718	1,055	898	4,921	77%
Against	362	380	182	287	268	1,479	23%
Total	1,586	1,406	900	1,342	1,166	6,400	100%
State Question 5 - Congressional Redistricting							
For	932	721	699	1,050	872	4,274	71%
Against	543	584	143	222	234	1,726	29%
Total	1,475	1,305	842	1,272	1,106	6,000	100%
State Question 6 - Same Sex Marriage							
For	1,094	1,053	515	724	630	4,016	63%
Against	502	370	388	610	536	2,406	37%
Total	1,596	1,423	903	1,334	1,166	6,422	100%
State Question 7 - Expanded gambling							
For	756	693	592	814	695	3,550	55%
Against	833	729	314	533	497	2,906	45%
Total	1,589	1,422	906	1,347	1,192	6,456	100%
Number Voting	1,652	1,452	943	1,378	1,223	6,648	
Unofficial Registration	2,711	2,225	1,756	2,407	2,421	11,520	
Turnout	61%	65%	54%	57%	51%	58%	

Dems Handily Win in City,
Ballot Questions Also Win

by James Giese

In Greenbelt, it’s deja vu all over again (as Yogi Berra would say), at least as far as its continued support for Democratic candidates. President Barack Obama once again achieved 86 percent of the votes cast over his Republican opponent, Mitt Romney, two minor party candidates and a slew of write-in wannabes. Senator Ben Cardin slightly improved his percentage over his Republican opponent Dan Bongino and Independent Rob Sobhani, garnering 77 percent of votes cast and 5th Congressional District Representative Steny Hoyer obtained a healthy 84 percent of votes cast, although that was a drop of 4 percent over his 2008 vote percentage.

The Greenbelt election results do not include counts from early voting. Adding these votes might benefit the Democrats here even more. Unofficial state tallies, with many precincts still unreported, indicate that Democrats turned out early in much greater numbers, percentage-wise, than Republicans.

Ballot Questions

The four most controversial ballot questions also won in Greenbelt. The strongest support was for Question 4, the Maryland Dream Act, which will enable resident immigrants to enroll in state universities and community colleges at resident tuition rates. It garnered 77 percent of the votes cast in support. Also strongly supported was the approval of the state redistricting plan for Congressional districts. That garnered 71 percent. Greenbelters also strongly supported the marriage ballot questions which will enable couples of the same sex to marry. That question achieved 67 percent support.

(At press time, the marriage bill appeared to be winning statewide by a narrow margin but losing by a narrow margin in Prince George’s County.)

Question 7, to permit a gambling casino in Prince George’s County, also carried by a 55 percent vote. Interestingly, that

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Election 2012

A Time of Perpetual Reflection

by Jim Link

An enjoyable ramble around Greenbelt to all five of its polling precincts generated a wealth of pithy comments.

At Greenbelt Elementary School, Sylvia O’Brien exclaimed, “Yes, thank God!” when I asked her if she was glad the campaign was over. Her grand niece Jasmine Denton, age 18, voted for the first time. “I was nervous,” she admitted.

Jeanette Grotke, a campaign volunteer thought the presidential race was “offensive generally, too long, a bombardment of trivia and sob stories.”

Her fellow volunteer Michael Hartman said “I’m not campaigning for Obama; I’m campaigning for marriage equality.” He said that voters he approached in Bowie during the early voting period were not hostile, actually joked around with him. “Civility is so important.”

Hallie Ahearn said “I’m relieved (that the campaign is over). I just can’t believe that 47 percent of American voters are listening to a non-platform.”

You do the parsing, gentle reader. Michael Christ was more

reserved – “The line is too long; I’ll come back later.”

Trudy Renwick said “I thought the election workers did a great job. I have a tremendous amount of respect for them.” Marjorie Spier said, “Oh my God, I need to tell you I’m delighted with the quickness and efficiency here.”

Mary Ann Baker claimed that voting, even with a long wait, “is a great way to meet your friends and neighbors in a warm place where you can schmooze.” “Thank God it’s over,” added her husband Bob.

At Greenbelt Community Center Lauren Cummings, an election watcher, “challenger” and campaign volunteer said she helped to see that the polls opened on time, can find out how many have voted anytime during the day and distributed information in favor of Question 6, marriage equality. “Good morning, vote for 6!” she chirped at a briskly passing voter, pressing pertinent info into his hands as deftly as RGIII gives the ball to Evan Royster.

“Fairness and equality,” Cummings said, turning back to me,

“that’s my script – I practiced all night.” Voter Ethan Tabor said, “The workers were great. The lines were longer than I expected.”

Election official Deema Slim said, “They (the voters) are all excited. I think the process is pretty efficient. Everyone is so civil.”

Moi: “The voters or the officials?” Slim, smiling: “Well, both.”

Barbara Ransom claimed the campaign was saturated “with too many commercials. You can hang up on robocalls but you can’t just turn off your TV.”

Barbara Shelton emphasized that she “won’t be happy it’s over until I know who won and we get a better economy.”

At Springhill Lake Elementary School (SHLES), campaign volunteer Sean Anthony had the most enviable election job in all of Greenbelt. Handing out propaganda, the 30-ish Anthony was surrounded by three beautiful fellow volunteers – Charmaine Ferrell, Ashley Cristwell

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PHOTO BY HELEN SYDAVAR

At the Turning Point Academy polling place (Precinct 18) election Judge Earlene Smith directs voters.

What Goes On

Saturday, November 10

9 a.m. to noon, Donation Drop-off, Parking Lot between Municipal Building and Community Center

Sunday, November 11

10 a.m., Annual Veterans Day Ceremony by American Legion, Roosevelt Center

Monday, November 12 – City and Greenbelt Homes Offices Closed in Observance of Veterans Day

Tuesday, November 13

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m., National Memory Screening Day, Community Center

Tuesday, November 13

8 p.m., Council Meeting, Municipal Building, Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and streaming at www.greenbeltmd.gov

Wednesday, November 14

7:30 p.m., Advisory Planning Board Meeting, Community Center, Room 114

8 p.m., Council Worksession with Franklin Park, Community Center

Thursday, November 15

7:30 p.m., Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI), Board of Directors Meeting, GHI Board Room

Letters to the Editor

Three Cheers, News Review

Although our community was blessed with no severe damage from Hurricane Sandy, I played it safe – glad to hunker down inside my home accomplishing personal business while my other activities were cancelled.

Yet each day I witnessed my mail lady living up to the famous quote, “Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds.”

And now today, with delivery of this week’s paper, I see that the dedicated staff of the News Review didn’t enjoy the same break as I did. Thank you and congratulations to everyone involved in bringing our community the News Review and maintaining the incredible record of never missing an issue in 75 years!

Sue Stern

Praise for Eric Zhang’s Blog

Have you seen Eric Zhang’s remarkable photo blog documenting Greenbelt’s 75th anniversary year? If not, I heartily recommend giving it a look at <http://greenbelt2012.wordpress.com/> or, if you don’t have a computer,

asking someone who does or check it out on the public computers at the Greenbelt Library.

Zhang, who not only works full-time but has a young family, has spent this year photographing Greenbelt and its many activities (and characters). What I love about this particular blog, in addition to its comprehensiveness and detail, is the unbiased prose. As a newcomer to the community, he has no agenda, no axe to grind. If there’s something you’ve always wondered about, an event or place here, chances are you’ll find it in the blog, as well as occasional shots of Greenbelt’s natural beauty.

The idea behind the project per Zhang’s words was, “to produce a photographic record of Greenbelt in 2012 as the FSA [Federal Security Administration] photographers [. . .] did during the early years of the town’s history.” The blog accomplishes that and then some. It’s a tremendous gift to Greenbelt and it’ll make you fall for this town anew. Many thanks.

Collette Zanin

Smoke Detector Help By Making a Call

Prince George’s County residents can call the county Fire Department’s Safety First number at 301-864-7233 (SAFE) to ask for help in changing their smoke alarm battery. The Fire Department will coordinate needed resources to be sure the battery gets changed.

Corrections

Last week on page 3 we announced a meeting this Sunday, November 11, at the New Deal Café. The film, “War Dance,” will not be shown until February. The Sunday meeting is actually a planning meeting for the Africa issues focus. Please see information about the November 11 meeting on page 9.

The News Review regrets the error.

The article on the newly sworn-in police officers on page 10 last week incorrectly attributed the reporter. The author of the piece was Barbara Hopkins. The News Review regrets the error.

Annual Rummage Sale

Mishkan Torah Synagogue
Sunday & Monday
Nov. 11 & 12
9 am - 3 pm
10 Ridge Rd.
301-474-4223

Designer clothing, linens, shoes, accessories, china, toys, books, art, household items, electronics, bake sale. Great prices and great finds.

State’s Attorney Is Speaker Nov. 16

At the next meeting of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club on Friday, November 16 at 8 p.m. the speaker will be Prince George’s County’s State’s Attorney Angela Alsobrooks.

Alsobrooks, a lifelong county resident, is the first female State’s Attorney and was elected by an overwhelming margin. As State’s Attorney, the county’s top prosecutor she leads a staff of 175 who prosecute those accused of committing crimes. Alsobrooks’ undergraduate degree is from Duke University and her law degree from the University of Maryland; prior to becoming State’s Attorney she prosecuted domestic violence perpetrators and has considerable trial experience. Her spare time is involved with increasing breast cancer awareness. Alsobrooks lives with her daughter in Upper Marlboro and is a member of First Baptist of Glenarden and the Delta Sigma Sorority.

New 2013 officer nominations will be announced at the meeting. It is time to renew club memberships for the coming year. Dues can be mailed to P.O. Box 824, Greenbelt, Md., or call 301-328-7598 for more information. Members are put on the membership list, with notices sent of meetings and other fun activities.

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OLD GREENBELT THEATRE WEEK OF NOV 9

Argo (R)

FRIDAY
*5, 7:30, 9:45

SATURDAY
*2:30, *5, 7:30, 9:45

SUNDAY
*2:30, *5, 7:30

MONDAY – THURSDAY
*5, 7:30

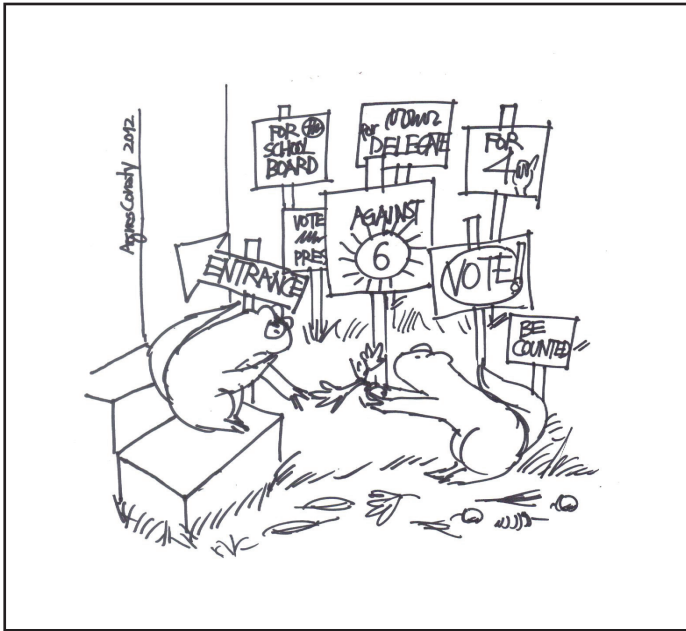
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Walk in the Woods With Lesley Riddle

On Saturday, November 10 at 10 a.m., the Beaver Dam Creek Watershed Watch Group will sponsor a walk in the woods with Assistant Director of Public Works Lesley Riddle. Riddle is also an arborist and watershed steward. The walk will be an opportunity to identify attributes and threats to the woods. Riddle will talk about the impacts of storm water on the forest preserve.

Meet at Northway extended by the Forest Preserve sign. For more information, call Susan Barnett at 301-474-7465 or email susnbarn@earthlink.net.

Scott Joplin Celebrated At Old Parish House

The College Park Arts Exchange will celebrate the work of American piano composer Scott Joplin with pianist Eric Maring and friends on Friday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Old Parish House in College Park.

The Old Parish House is at 4711 Knox Road (corner of Knox and Dartmouth, near the Metro; parking passes available at the door).

More information is available by emailing info@cpae.org or calling 301-927-3013.

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DEADLINES: Letters, Articles and ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$40/year.

Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

NOTICE TO GHI MEMBERS

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GDC & GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING

Thursday, November 15th, 2012

GHI ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 7:30 PM

GDC Key Agenda Items:

- 3rd Quarter Financial Statements
- Proposed 2013 Operating Budget

GHI Key Agenda Items:

- Yard Line Certification: 20 & 24 Courts Ridge Road
- 3rd Quarter Financial Statements
- Expenditure Authorization for 2013 Operating Budget
- Consideration of Rules for Skylights on Additions
- GHI 2012 Contributions to Employees' Health Care Plan
- Survey for Domestic Solar Hot Water Systems for GHI
- Contract for Electrical Repairs: 11A-H Ridge Road, 1st Reading
- Contract for Repairs: 14J Laurel Hill Road, 1st Reading
- Contract for Repairs: 7U Research Road, 2nd Reading
- Contract for Repairs: 53B Ridge Road, 2nd Reading
- Contract for Repairs: 22B Hillside Road, 2nd Reading
- Contract for Underground Utility Repairs at Additional Sites, 2nd Reading

Regular Board meetings are open to Members
For more information, visit our website - www.ghi.coop



Community Events

Legion to Honor Veterans Nov. 11

Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 will hold its annual Veterans Day ceremony at Roosevelt Center Sunday, November 11 at 10 a.m. Members and residents are welcome to join the Legion honoring armed service veterans. The guest will be Army Captain Dan Berschinski, West Point graduate who lost both legs and an arm in Afghanistan.

Veterans Day honors all American veterans, both living and dead, while thanking living veterans for dedicated and loyal service to their country.

A luncheon will follow the service at the Post Home. In case of inclement weather, the ceremony will be held at the Post Home, 6900 Greenbelt Road.

At the Library

Children's Programs

Tuesday, November 13, 4 p.m., book discussion of “The Graveyard Book,” by Neil Gaiman. After the murder of his family by a mysterious man named Jack, Nobody Owens is raised in a graveyard by the dead but kindly inhabitants. Pick up a copy of the book at the library information desk.

November 14, 10:30 a.m., for ages 3 to 8, a special Kids Euro Festival program, “Videk’s New Shirt,” presented by the Embassy of Slovenia that teaches an important lesson about friendship and harmony.

Storytimes

On Wednesdays and Thursdays a librarian reads age-appropriate stories to children and parents using imagination and props.

Wednesday, November 14, 10:30 a.m., Drop-in Storytime for ages 3 to 5 years.

Thursday, November 15, 10:30 a.m., Toddler Time for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver.

For more information visit the Greenbelt branch, call 301-345-5800 or visit www.pgcmlls.info.

Dollar Tree Opens Holiday Toy Drive

In conjunction with Operation Homefront, the nonprofit that provides emergency financial and other assistance to military families, Dollar Tree stores nationwide will be collecting donated toys to be distributed to children of service members this holiday season. There is a Dollar Tree store in Greenway Center.

Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition “Food and Friendship” program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for November 12-16 are:

Monday – Veterans Day – All sites closed.

Tuesday – Fruit punch, grilled pork patty with dill sauce, chuck-wagon corn, seasoned spinach, fresh banana.

Wednesday – Apple juice, baked pollock with lemon butter sauce, garlic whipped potatoes, stewed tomatoes, seasonal fruit.

Thursday – Orange juice, chicken noodle soup, sliced turkey breast and Swiss cheese, three-bean salad.

Friday – Pineapple/orange juice, beef with pepper gravy, pinto beans, mixed vegetables, seasonal fruit.

City of Greenbelt Holds Blood Drive

The Greenbelt Recreation Department will sponsor a Red Cross blood donation drive on Friday, November 16 from 12:30 to 6 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Ridge Road.

Blood donors must be at least 17 years old and meet minimum weight requirements. Bring a donor card, driver’s license or two other forms of identification. Appointments are encouraged but not required. For more information or to make an appointment call 1-800-733-2767 (1-800-RED-CROSS) or visit redcrossblood.org.

Informal Sunday Evening Worship

Come as You Are!
6:00 p.m.



Holy Cross Lutheran Church
6905 Greenbelt Road
301-345-5111
www.myholycross.org

GHI Notes

Thursday, November 8, 6:45 p.m., Investment Committee Meeting – Board Room

7:30 p.m., Finance Committee Meeting – Board Room

Friday, November 9 and Monday, November 12 – Office Closed. For Emergency Maintenance Service, call 301-474-6011.

Wednesday, November 14, 7:30 p.m., Architectural Review Committee Meeting – Board Room

Thursday, November 15, 7:30 p.m., Board of Directors Meeting – Board Room

Monday, November 19, 7 p.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – Board Room

Tuesday, November 20, 7:30 p.m., Companion Animal Committee Meeting – GHI Lobby

Note: Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

Scouts Seek Help With Food Drive

Last Saturday, Greenbelt Cub Scout Pack 202 and Boy Scout Troop 746 went door-to-door in central Greenbelt distributing bags for the annual “Scouting for Food” service project.

Everyone is welcome to help the scouts with the bag pick-up on Saturday, November 10 at the Greenbelt Community Church at 9 a.m. Those interested in making a donation are asked to have non-perishable food items placed in the bag on the front porch for pick-up by 9 a.m. If the scouts miss a bag, donors are asked to take it to any church pantry.

Co-op Holds Food Demos, Wine Tastings

Pumpkin is the theme for the November natural food demonstration on Wednesday, November 14 from 4 to 6 p.m., with samples of pumpkin-infused and flavored products. Friday night wine tastings will be held November 9 and 16 from 4 to 7 p.m. The tasting on November 16 will feature Prince George’s County Romano Vineyards. The last wine tasting will be on Wednesday, November 28 from 4 to 6 p.m.

A seasonal savory food demonstration and sampling will be held on Wednesday, November 28 from 4 to 6 p.m. with a raw Thai pumpkin salad and butternut squash risotto. Patron Appreciation Day will be Wednesday, November 28.

Flu Shots

On Saturday, November 10 from 10 a.m. to noon and Friday, November 16 from 4 to 6 p.m., flu shots will be available for a fee in the second floor meeting room at the store. Visit www.greenbelt.coop for more information.

Worksession Date Set On Sector Plan, Map

A Preliminary Greenbelt Metro Area and Md. 193 Corridor Sector Plan and Proposed Sectional Map Amendment staff worksession with the Planning Board has been set for Thursday, November 29. While the meeting will start at 10:30 a.m., a start time for the Greenbelt Sector Plan is not known. The worksession will be held in Upper Marlboro.

Synagogue Rummage Sale Sun. and Mon.

This coming Sunday, November 11 and Monday, November 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. are the dates for the Mishkan Torah Sisterhood annual rummage sale.

The rummage sale is a yearly opportunity to get a jump on early holiday shopping. There will be a wealth of treasures for sale, with clothing and shoes in all sizes, housewares, linens, accessories, books, toys, appliances and small furniture items. While most items are used, there will also be new merchandise, as well as vintage items. Sunday also features a bake sale.

On Monday all items will be half-price or “fill a bag,” an even better opportunity to get great bargains. All are invited to come and bring friends and neighbors along. See the ad on page 2.

More Community Events
are on pages 2, 9 and 11.

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WEEK OF NOV. 9

FRIDAY – SUNDAY

Skyfall, R (!)
11:40, 3:15, 6:25, 7, 9:30, 10:10
Flight, R (!)
11:55, 3:25, 6:35, 9:35
Wreck It Ralph in 2D, PG (!)
11:50, 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 9:45
Wreck It Ralph in 3D, PG (!)
11:25, 2, 4:30, 7, 9:30
Man with the Iron Fist, R (!)
11:35, 1:55, 4:20, 7:15, 9:25
Silent Hill: Revelation in 2D, R (!)
11:30, 2, 7:20
Silent Hill: Revelation in 3D, R (!)
4:15, 9:40
Alex Cross, PG-13
11:40, 2:10, 4:30, 7, 9:35
Hotel Transylvania in 2D, PG
11:45, 2:10, 4:25

MONDAY – THURSDAY

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• “The Twilight Saga: Breaking •
• Dawn 2” at 10pm Nov 15 •
• “The Hobbit” Dec. 14 •
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The Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt
Democratic Club invites you to our

Monthly Meeting on Friday, Nov. 16 at 8 p.m.

Guest Speaker will be Prince George's Attorney
Angela Alsobrooks

Greenbriar Terrace Room
7600 Hanover Parkway, Greenbelt
All Welcome, Light Refreshments

Visit <http://Roosevelt.pgdemss.com> for details.

Opening this Friday!

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Coming Soon to the Greenbelt Arts Center:
November 17: ImprovNow! (11pm after Frost/Nixon)
December 3 - 4: Superior Donuts Auditions
December 14 – 22: A (Comic) Christmas Carol

Greenbelt Arts Center
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GUTTER CLEANING

Petria Inc. & Greenbelt Builders Inc. are scheduled to clean and inspect the gutters on all GHI Homes starting the week of November 19, 2012, weather permitting.

The project will take approximately one month to complete. During that time, workers will appear at your building, at doors and windows. Please close your shades to preserve privacy.

You may contact Peter Joseph at (301) 474-4161 ext. 141 if you have any questions or comments.

In Memoriam

In W.Va., Death Catches Up to a Local Boy

Rick Ransom

Peter Ladnier, who spent his childhood in Greenbelt, died on November 1 in West Virginia, which was where he spent the better part of his adult years. He was 55 years old. He was living in the small mountain community of Shannondale within the official border of Harpers Ferry but really closer to Charles Town. His place was close to both the Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers, where he could pursue his life-long passions of fishing and hunting. However, he wasn't doing much of either the last couple of years as he was fighting a continuing battle with heart aneurysms and cancer. He had become legally blind from a tumor on the optic nerve and had trouble walking from cancer in his hip.

Pete's family moved to Greenbelt not long after his birth after living in Laurel. I met Pete some 40 years ago when I lived in the 3 Court of Research Road, where his mother, the late Ann Ladnier, lived with her four kids. His dad had already died from the same problem with aneurysms (as did his grandfather and great-grandfather, as well as his sister Diane King). He is survived by an older sister, Mary Lou of Germantown and an older brother Charles, who is now living in Dunkirk, Md. Pete attended St Hugh's Elementary and Greenbelt Junior High.

I visited Pete with Lee Dorsey, John McBride, John O' Brien and Pat Fern on several occasions. Despite his physical incapacities, he always wanted to go into Charles Town to the coffee shop and get a bite to eat. He would loudly proclaim to the waitresses in the shop how his friends from Greenbelt had come up to see him. Now mind you, our visitation to most places would hardly be marked, but to Pete it was a big event indeed. Pete would also come back to Greenbelt for special occasions like Labor Day and to see the "Good Guys" Band. Since he could no longer drive, his life-long friend Councilmember Rodney Roberts would ride up to his home, pick him up, bring him down and take him back all in the same day. It's a Greenbelt thing, I guess. Rodney had just taken him to a crab feast a couple of weeks ago.

Pete was a first-class machinist who worked at Pressure Sciences Lab in Beltsville, the Washington Star and the Washington Post. He related to me on one of our visits that he met a shop owner over in the Beltsville Industrial Park who hired him and taught him his trade. He spent the last 15 years of his professional life working at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing for the federal government. He was most proud of his work on plates for producing bills of currency. When his eyesight failed he had to give that up.

The reason I chose the headline above is because in knowing Pete and in talking to his brother Charlie, he apparently ran just a few steps ahead of death for much of his life. John McBride noted it seemed Pete often wore a cast or a sling. As Charlie said, "Pete did what he wanted to do when he wanted to do it," regardless of the potential consequences. Charlie mused that Pete's lifestyle did not encourage long-term relationships which is why he felt Pete had never married and had children. Pete's escapades began when he was two years old and broke his hip and thigh bone sleigh-riding down Research Road to Hillside. Charlie went on to note that he had survived two head-on auto collisions and numerous other broken bones and contusions, as well as several bouts with his illnesses. He rode a motorcycle and also survived a crash on it in his youth that resulted from being chased by police for speeding here in town, as Rodney tells it.

As his sister Mary Lou remarked, "Pete didn't have a bucket list"; Pete 'lived' a bucket list. Charlie detailed a few of the things he pursued including being a passenger in a fighter plane, skydiving (six jumps to qualify

to jump solo) and riding in a NASCAR race car. He also liked to go deep-water diving near his home as well as in Florida and Jamaica.

Pete certainly did not die a rich man, but his life was rich with experiences. When I would ask how he was doing (knowing at least part of the answer), he would always say he had his problems "but there are many worse off than me!" Mary Lou noted that she never remembers him saying "poor me." He was a stubborn guy with a good understanding for other people's troubles. Rodney stated that Pete was the same guy his whole life, never changing or varying for anyone or anything. To Rodney that was a good trait in a way. He was happy to see you, literally if not in actuality. He celebrated the band as often as he could, so we felt it only right to have a celebration for him.

Join the "Good Guys" on Saturday, November 24 from 8 to 11:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt American Legion for a night of music and conversation full of memories of Pete and all things Greenbelt. Mary Lou and Charlie expect to attend so you can express the condolences you did not get to share in a more formal setting.

Wildlife Visitor Center
November Bird Walks

Bird walks will be held at the National Wildlife Visitor Center on Wednesdays, November 14 and November 28 from 8 to 10 a.m. for those ages 16+. Search for birds in several refuge habitats on these guided hikes. Field guides and binoculars are recommended. Advance registration is required by calling 301-497-5887.

The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 197.

Women's Nonfiction
Book Club Meets

People are invited to join a discussion of literary nonfiction by women at the College Park Arts Exchange Book Club on Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at the Old Parish House.

The book to be discussed on November 16 is "Lost Kingdom: Hawaii's Last Queen," by Julia Flynn Siler.

The Old Parish House is at 4711 Knox Road, College Park (corner of Knox and Dartmouth, near the Metro). Parking passes may be obtained at the door.

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

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Sunday 11:00 am Worship Service
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Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe



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Bahá'u'lláh is the oneness of the
world of humanity. Addressing
mankind, He says: "Ye are all leaves
of one tree and the fruits of one branch."
(Abdu'l-Baha)

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Greenbelt.Bahai.Info@gmail.com www.bahai.us

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• Sundays

8 a.m. simple, quiet service (no music)

10 a.m. main service

(music includes a mixture of acoustic guitar, piano and organ music)

• Wednesdays

7 p.m. service with healing prayers (no music)

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We were sorry to hear of the death of Greenbelt native Peter Ladnier, 55, of Harpers Ferry, W.Va., on November 1, 2012, after a long illness.

Congratulations to:
– Former Greenbelter Zach Shattuck of Mt. Airy, son of Teresa Downs Shattuck, grandson of Jack and Dee Downs, whose soccer accomplishments and dwarfism were featured in a Carroll County Times article entitled “Prep Soccer: SC’s Shattuck plays above height.” The article is online at http://www.carrollcountytimes.com/sports/carrollvarsity/prep-soccer-sc-s-shattuck-plays-above-height/article_321336c9-e073-508c-a974-fca6a5ac1071.html.
– Erin and Brian Hendricks of Columbus, Ohio, on the October 31, 2012, birth of Kate Madeline, weighing in at 7 lbs., 9 oz. Kate is the first great-grandchild for Jon and Judy Bell of Greenbelt and the first grandchild for Jan and Scott Morris, currently residing in Ottawa, Canada.
Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. We’d especially like to hear more from our neighbors in Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West (Franklin Park). To send information for “Our Neighbors” email us at newsreview@verizon.net or leave a message at 301-474-6892.
– *Kathleen McFarland*

Proteus Sunday D.C. Bike Ride
On Sunday, November 11 at noon a group of bicyclists from Proteus Bike Shop in North College Park will ride to Washington, D.C., returning at about 4 p.m. This is an easy social ride totaling about 30 miles round trip on nice trails and neighborhood streets.
Riders are asked to bring a Metro farecard in case the group decides to take Metro back after the ride.
For more information call 301-441-2928.



Noon to 8 p.m.

You're Invited To A **THANKSGIVING FEAST**

Thursday, November 22

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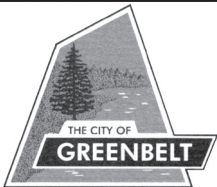
Roast Turkey, Black Forest Ham, Creamy Mashed Potatoes, Petite Green Beans, Honey Cajun Salmon, Lump Crab Imperial, Seasoned Corn, Giblet Gravy, Homemade Stuffing, Includes our Famous Soup & Salad Bar, Soda, Coffee and Tea and Dessert Station!

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City Information

GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, November 13, 2012 - 8:00 p.m.
Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road

COMMUNICATIONS

- Presentations
- Municipal Government Month Proclamation
- Petitions and Requests (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)
- Minutes of Council Meetings
- Administrative Reports
- Council Reports
- Committee Reports
- Youth Advisory Committee, Report #2012-2 (Curfew Law)
 - Youth Advisory Committee, Report #2012-3 (Ideas on How the Youth Advisory Committee Might Become a More Active Group)

LEGISLATION

- An Ordinance to Authorize the Refinancing of the City's Deficit/Unfunded Liability to the State Retirement and Pension System of Maryland
- 1st Reading
- OTHER BUSINESS**
- Greenbelt South Core Covenant Revisions
 - Proposed Combination/Relocation of Playgrounds at 2 Court Laurel Hill and 12 Court Hillside
 - County Legislation
 - CB 83 (Complete and Green Streets Policy)
 - CB 87 (County Recycling Program)
 - Pit Bull Legislation
 - Other Reports
 - * - Renewal of Fire Department Lease
 - *- Citizens Requests from October 22, 2012, Meeting
 - Request from Barbara Simon and Frank Gervasi
 - Request from John Abell
 - *- Advisory Committee on Trees, Report #2011-4 (Substitution of CMA for Rock Salt in Deicing of Roads, Use of Pickup Trucks)
 - * - Reappointment to Advisory Group

MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10am on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov to reach the City Clerk.

NATIONAL MEMORY SCREENING DAY
Tuesday, November 13

The GAIL program is offering free confidential memory screenings from 11am-1pm and 5-7pm at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. For information and an appointment, call 301-345-6660

GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER
550-A Crescent Road (behind Police Station)



Harry was adopted a month ago but was brought back because he was a little too full of energy for the family. He likes to get into stuff that he shouldn't. He's gotta make sure the cabinets in the kitchen don't have monsters in them! He was originally found outside an apartment building. He's very social and loves the other cats in the shelter. We believe he is around 2 years old.

Give us a call 301-474-6124

Come out and visit all of the available pets!
The shelter is open on Wednesdays from 4-7pm and on Saturdays from 9am-12pm or by appointment.
See all our pets on Facebook!

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Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups. There are currently vacancies on:
Advisory Planning Board, Arts Advisory Board, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability
For information call 301-474-8000.



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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
NOVEMBER 12-16

Tuesday, November 13 at 8:00 pm, **REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING** at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and Streaming at www.greenbeltmd.gov

Wednesday, November 14 at 7:30pm, **ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD**, at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Room 114. On the Agenda: Pedestrian & Bicycle Master Plan – Updated Draft and Next Steps

Wednesday, November 14 at 8:00pm, **COUNCIL WORK SESSION with Franklin Park**, at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

Saturday, November 17 from 9:30am-12:30pm, **COMMUNITY VISIONING SESSIONS** (see below for locations)

This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000.

COMMUNITY VISIONING FOR
GREENBELT

Join the Mayor and City Council in visioning the future for the City of Greenbelt.

Express your views on how to make Greenbelt the best community it can be.

Attend on of the Community Visioning Sessions on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2012**
9:30 am - 12:30 pm
at one of the following locations:

- Springhill Lake Recreation Center, 6101 Springhill Drive
- Greenbriar Community Building, 7600 Hanover Parkway
- Greenbelt Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

City Offices will be closed Monday, November 12th, in observance of Veterans' Day.
The **GREENBELT CONNECTION** will not be operating.

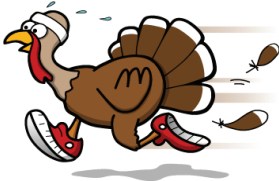
REFUSE/RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Week of November 12th
Monday Route – Collected Tuesday
Tuesday Route – Collected Wednesday
Wednesday Route – Collected Thursday
Thursday Route – Collected Friday
There will be no appliance or yard waste collections on Friday, November 16th.

2012 GOBBLE
WOBBLE

Thursday, November 22
9:00am

Race Day Registration begins at 8am
Greenbelt Youth Center, 99 Centerway
Spend Thanksgiving morning with the Greenbelt Recreation Department as we host the 6th Annual Gobble Wobble 5K race and a 1.5 mile fun run/walk around Buddy Attick Park. Join your family, friends and neighbors in this great opportunity to Get Active before your feast. Registration information 240-542-2194 or at www.greenbeltmd.gov. Thank you to Road ID, Greenbelt Co-op, The Sergeant's Program.
Registration form available at www.greenbeltmd.gov
Questions? Call 301-397-2200



DONATION DROP-OFF

American Rescue Workers
Saturday, November 10, from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon.
Parking lot between City Office and the Community Center
City of Greenbelt Recycling Office, 301-474-8308.

Greenbelt CARES has current openings for Individual Adult Counseling. Adults dealing with depression, anxiety, life transitions or other mental health concerns can call CARES at 301-345-6660 for a free intake.
Counseling Services are provided free of charge, with preference given to Greenbelt residents.

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and her mother Kim Cristwell –”like ‘Christ’ without the ‘h.’” Moi: “You are one lucky guy.” Anthony (no relation to Carmelo Anthony of the New York Knicks): “I am a king . . .” “. . . among your queens,” added Ferrell, both smiling.

“It was worth the wait,” said a woman who identified herself only as Carla Jean, scurrying away. “How long?” I asked. “Two and a half hours!” Carla Jean shouted over her shoulder.

Two first-time voters, Katrina Johnson, 20, and Christine Gee, 18, said they had already been waiting two hours. Would they vote in favor of Question 6 (marriage equality)? Johnson said, “Yes”; Gee said, “Maybe.”

Theodore Wilson was one probing, curious voter filled with questions about the process. He was convinced that the long wait could have been avoided. “Why are there only two e-poll machines (which store registered voters’ names) here? Is it the budget? The demographic? We want to know why but they won’t answer us. Why isn’t the new Greenbelt Middle School used as a polling place? It’s much bigger than here.” His friend Tiara Mallory nodded in agreement.

Rob Hunter, Aruna Kamara and Kyana Robinson wore spiffy blue “Election Protection” T-shirts and explained that their job was to “resolve problems, answer questions, give direction and explain the rules.”

The most exotic voter at SHLES had to be Leon Dunkley, who retrieved his guitar from his car when he realized the wait would try everyone’s patience. As he strummed away, his adjacent neighbor, Ruenette Frasier said, “He’s entertaining us, helpin’ us endure the line.”

At Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) Mary Potter exclaimed “Thank God it’s over! A 45-minute wait – not bad at all.” Potter’s articulacy grew. “I respect the election workers enormously. Most voters don’t have any idea how hard they work. My daughter Anne, an ERHS grad, by the way, is a voter registrar in Richmond . . . I’m sorry to say it, but campaigns are never really over. Watch, the fundraising will start tomorrow! The business of America is electioneering, not business. Think of all the worthy causes that could have benefited from using the money spent on candidates. It could have fed so many people,



PHOTO BY HELEN SYDAVAR

At 9 a.m. Springhill Lake Elementary School (Precinct 8) had a line of voters extending out from the gym and down a hallway. At 8 p.m. Tuesday the News Review reporter learned there was still a two-hour-long line of voters. The results didn’t get to the newspaper until midnight.

educated so many people . . . Well, ciao!”

Outside ERHS I joshed with a genteel, grandmotherly woman, a Democrat party campaign volunteer. Moi: “Is everyone behaving inside? Any riots?” Genteel volunteer: “Not riotous at all. There were long lines early this morning, maybe a one and a half hour wait, but now it’s quick.” Moi: “And your name is . . .?” Genteel volunteer: “Jane Ross.” Moi, joking: “Any relation to Justin Ross (recently retired state delegate)?” Jane Ross: “I’m Justin’s mom.”

After Ms. Ross raved a bit about her four extraordinary grandchildren, I scurried inside ERHS where Sheila Mugabe and her husband Benon, two election officials, graciously gave me a quick tour of the efficient operation.

My little odyssey brought me at last to Turning Point Academy, where a campaign volunteer pressed propaganda into my hand. This unusual, only slightly exaggerated dialogue, ensued. Moi: “Can I have your name?” Volunteer: “Sure. Justin Ross.” Moi: “Any relation to Jane Ross?”

“Sure. I’m Jane’s son.”

Inside I asked exiting voter Gabriela Navarro if the line was long. She said “It was an hour long when I came to vote the first time. But this time it’s only 20 minutes long.” “What candor!” I thought, as did Mike Plane, standing nearby. After I probed a bit, Gabriela and her daughter Alysha Navarro-Henry laughed at our simplicity. Gabriela had left to pick up her son and returned to vote later – once. Alysha had driven three hours from Morgantown, West Virginia,

where she is a student at WVU to vote at Turning Point – she had forgotten to mail her absentee ballot. All three voters were convinced that even if Question 7 passed and a casino were built at National Harbor, no money would reach our schools. “It’s a lie,” said mother and daughter. “I agree. It’s a lie,” Mike added.

Chief Judge Clyde Davis and his trusty crew of Jonathan, Glory, Karen, Chris, Keshia and Kisha had everything humming along beautifully. “Is Judge Davis a good boss?” I asked. “Sometimes,” said Keshia.

On my way out I bumped into our noble city councilmember Ed Putens. Moi: “Can I get a quote, sir?” Putens: “You know what’s more important to me right now? My grandkids. They just voted . . . Now where are they? . . .” Putens ambled off and so did I.

In conclusion, let me share the two most striking comments I culled. First, when I asked Bill Orleans at the Community Center if he was happy the campaign was over, he said, “No! I think every day should be an election day!” Moi: “Why?” Bill: “Because I’m in favor of perpetual reflection.”

And last, I asked Dawn Green, ensconced at the very end of a long labyrinthine line at Springhill Lake, if she knew that she would have a two and a half hour wait. She answered “I am prepared to wait for however long it takes to vote.” Moi: “Why?” Green: “Because it’s our civic duty! Our forefathers and foremothers fought and died for us to be able to do this.”

And her pal Andrea Adgerson added, “Amen to that!”



PHOTO BY ERIC ZHANG

At Springhill Lake Elementary School polling place, Carol Malveaux (left) is the Chief Democratic Judge and Warren Wilcox the Chief Republican Judge.

HOKUM JAZZ

Come celebrate Greenbelt’s 75th Anniversary with this acoustic trio playing early blues, swing and jug band music from the 20s, 30s and 40s!

Sunday November 11. 5 to 8pm



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This raucous musical review pays homage to tradition while fashioning a bold and elegant style. Hot jazz, ragtime and pre-war country, in celebration of Greenbelt’s 75th Anniversary!

Friday November 9. 8 to 11pm



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PHOTO BY HELEN SYDAVAR

Voters lined up outside of the Community Center (Precinct 3).



GHI Rules Regarding Staff Permit Review

The GHI Board moved to present a rules revision regarding Staff Permit Review to the GHI community for feedback for a 30-day period. To see the draft criteria, either pick up a hard copy at the Administration Building, or go to www.ghi.coop

Comments should be submitted via email to rseecharran@ghi.coop or written comments can be delivered to the GHI Offices, Attn: Rean

All comments are due by December 2, 2012



The long line of voters at Greenbelt Elementary School (Precinct 6) keeps warm inside the cafeteria.

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is the same percentage that the gambling question to permit slots in Maryland was carried in 2008. Incomplete voting returns indicate that this question will pass in both the county and statewide. Voter turnout was down significantly at the polling places. This might be accounted for by a greater turnout for early voting. In 2008, early voting was first offered to state voters. Early election returns show that some 430,000 Marylanders voted early out of a total vote count in excess of 2,000,000. The Turning Point Academy

precinct had the lowest percentage turnout at 51 percent with the Springhill Lake Elementary School precinct second lowest at 54 percent. The highest turnout at the polling place went to the Greenbelt North End voting at Greenbelt Elementary, with a 65 percent turnout. Romney received his strongest Greenbelt support from Greenbelt Elementary with 290 votes cast for him. The core of Greenbelt (Community Center and Greenbelt Elementary) opposed the gambling question. Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West supported it.

St. Martin’s Annual Lantern Festival

On Sunday, November 11 at 3:30 p.m. the College Park Arts Exchange will hold its annual St. Martin’s Lantern Festival for families. A local volunteer will lead a traditional German celebration that involves making paper lanterns and culminates in an outdoor walk at twilight. The Lantern Festival is at St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, 4512 College Ave, College Park. For more information email info@cpae.org or call 301-927-3013.

NAMI Meeting on November 15

“Understanding Assertive Community Treatment” (ACT) will be the topic of Bette Stewart’s presentation at the National Alliance on Mental Health’s (NAMI) meeting on Thursday, November 15 from 7 to 9 p.m. Stewart is a training specialist for the Evidence-Based Practice Center at the University of Mary-

land School of Medicine. She will discuss ACT team staffing composition, team member roles and the differences between ACT, intensive case management and Mobile Treatment Services. NAMI is located in the Hanco building at Beckett Field, 8511 Legation Road in New Carrollton.



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If you have further questions, please call the Mishkan Torah office at 301-474-4223.

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Gusto Spiral Sliced Half Ham	\$1 ⁹⁹ lb.	All Purpose White Potatoes 10 lb.	\$2 ⁸⁸	Blue Bonnet Vegetable Spreads 1 lb. quarters	Stouffer's Red Box Assorted Entrees 6-20 oz.	Frozen Snow Crab Leg Clusters
Shurfine Frozen All Natural Turkeys	99¢ lb.	Fresh Crop Apples Gala/Fuji/Delicious/MacIntosh	\$1 ⁴⁹ lb.	Kraft American Cheese Singles 12 oz.	Hanover Premium Gold Line Select Vegetables 8-10 oz.	Fresh East Coast Oysters Select/Standard 8 oz.
Grocery Bargains					Grocery Bargains	
Green Giant Select Canned Vegetables 14-15.25 oz.	80¢	Maxwell House Original Ground Coffee Select 10.5-11.5 oz.	\$2 ⁹⁹		Barilla Assorted Pasta Assorted 13.2-16 oz.	Red Pack Tomatoes Assorted family sized 28-29 oz.
College Inn Soup Broth Assorted 14.5 oz.	75¢	ERA Liquid Laundry Detergent 50 oz.	\$3 ⁴⁹		Ragu Pasta Sauces Assorted 16-24 oz.	Del Monte Canned Fruits Assorted 14.5-15.25 oz.
Deli		Bakery		Natural & Gourmet	Health & Beauty	Beer & Wine
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Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, <http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/index.htm>, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Armed Robbery
October 26, 8 p.m., Beltway Plaza. A teenager approached a person, implied he had a weapon and took money from the person's pocket. The robber is described as a black male, 15 to 18 years old, 5'8" tall, 150 pounds, wearing an olive colored jacket, black jeans and black shoes.

October 27, 11:56 p.m., 5800 block Cherrywood Lane. A person was approached by two men who displayed a handgun and took the person's property. The robbers are described as two black males, 5'6", 150 pounds, wearing Halloween masks. They fled on a lime green scooter.

DWI/DUI
October 28, 1:54 a.m., Cherrywood Lane at Breezewood Drive. A 32-year-old Greenbelt man was arrested and charged with multiple alcohol-related offenses among other charges after a traffic stop. He was released on citations pending trial.

Trespassing
October 27, 11:32 a.m., 7500 block Greenbelt Road. A 28-year-old city resident was arrested and charged with trespassing on private property. He was released on a citation pending trial.

Burglary
October 27, 10:13 p.m., 8100 block Burkart Court. A 32-year-old man with no fixed address was arrested and charged with attempted first degree burglary, among other charges. He was released to the Department of

Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

October 30, 9:30 p.m., 9300 block Edmonston Road. Nothing was taken.

Vehicle Theft
October 30, 8:19 a.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace. An 18-year-old city resident was arrested and charged with motor vehicle theft, theft over \$1,000 and resisting arrest, among other charges, after being stopped in a 1997 Honda Accord that was reported stolen through the Prince George's County Police. He was transferred to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Vandalism
October 28, 11:11 a.m., 54 court Ridge Road. A window screen was cut, possibly by a suspect known to the victim.

October 28, 2:03 p.m., 39 Court Ridge Road. Graffiti was found on a telephone pole and a garage.

Vehicle Crime
A 2006 Dodge Charger taken from the 6100 block Cherrywood Lane was recovered by Prince George's County Police in Laurel. No arrests were made.

A 2002 Chrysler 300 taken from the 9100 block Edmonston Court was recovered by Prince George's County Police in Landover. No arrests were made.

Thefts from autos were reported in the 5800 block Cherrywood Terrace (rear NC tag) and from an unlocked car in the 7600 block Greenbelt Road (purse).

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter. Call 1-866-411-TIPS. People may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 240-542-2145.

Community Visioning Event Set for Nov. 17

In celebration of Greenbelt's 75th anniversary, the Greenbelt City Council will host community visioning sessions on Saturday, November 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. These sessions will provide an opportunity to celebrate Greenbelt's legacy by helping "vision its future" by contributing ideas and suggestions on how to make Greenbelt "the best community it can be."

Sessions will be held at the same time in three locations for the convenience of everyone. Locations will be 1) Springhill Lake Recreation Center, 6101 Springhill Drive; 2) Greenbriar

Community Building, 7600 Hanover Parkway; and 3) Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

Participants will be able to share their vision for the Greenbelt community going forward. Questions to be addressed are: What do you see as the most important and pressing community issues over the next three to five years? What should the city's major focus be in the coming years? What do you want Greenbelt to be like in 20 years?

For more information call Anne Marie Belton at 301-474-8000 or email abelton@greenbeltmd.gov.



Council Hears Replacement Plan for Bridge

by Patrick Donohue

The Prince George's County Department of Public Works and Transportation (DPW&T) presented its plan for a replacement Sunnyside Avenue Bridge Project in Beltsville to the Greenbelt City Council at its Wednesday, October 10 worksession in the Greenbelt Community Center.

James Wilson, chief of the Highways and Bridges Division for DPW&T, and Susan Hubbard, the department's public information officer, representing the county, outlined their plan for replacing of the bridge on Sunnyside Avenue near the road's intersection with Edmonston Road.

The entire council, present at the meeting, had plenty of interest in the project. They had many questions about construction, environmental impact functionality and funding. Some even questioned the overall reasoning behind the bridge project.

"There are all sorts of rumors rife about why the bridge is being built," Greenbelt's Mayor Judith Davis said to open the meeting, "even though we know that in that particular area there has been talk of a bridge being built for some time now. But the last time I heard about the bridge it was too expensive and was never going to be built in our lifetime. All of a sudden there are funds."

The current bridge is a small structure, about 50 feet in length, Wilson said. He cited the bridge's structural deficiencies and flooding history as reasons for doing the project.

Flooding History

"The fact that it is a small structure with a bad flooding history allows this project to qualify for federal aid under the Federal Highway Bridge Repair-Replacement Program, which states that every structure in the United States over 20 feet in length is required to be inspected once every two years by federal law," Wilson said. "Based on these federal and formal bridge inspections, each bridge gets a Bridge Sufficiency Rating (BSR) that goes from 0-100 and bridges with ratings less than 50 qualify for participation in the federal aid, bridge replacement program. This bridge on Sunnyside Avenue is below 50 and therefore is eligible."

The new bridge would be about 385 feet long and include traffic lanes in both directions as well as a shoulder, bike lane and sidewalk on each side of the road.

"The county incorporates all of those features into our projects; they all have benefits," Wilson said, "The county's complete guidelines strongly encourage multimodal options that are important for the traveling public."

Council, however, expressed its concern that drivers will then use the widened road as a 4-lane highway and drive on the shoulder, creating unsafe traveling conditions.

They proposed the possibility of rearranging the lanes to make them safer and Hubbard and Wilson seemed open to the idea. In fact, Councilmember Silke Pope even suggested European-style roadways that would have both bike lanes and sidewalks on one side of the road and a median dividing them from the traffic lanes.

Wetlands Concern

One of council's primary concerns throughout the meeting was the project's impact on wetlands surrounding Sunnyside Avenue.

County representatives spoke of mitigation taking place for storm water management and to help preserve the wetlands as much as possible.

But even the mayor said that the project seems all man – and bicyclist – centered and very destructive to Indian Creek.

Councilmember Rodney Roberts was one of the strongest advocates for wetland preservation. "Avoiding construction," he said, is the best way to mitigate.

"I think the wetland is of most importance; we have to protect the wetland. You can fix the road and maybe even fix the flooding without destroying the wetland, in my opinion." Roberts was one of the councilmembers who questioned motives behind the project. He alluded to the fact that many believe that the county's reasoning behind this project is related to the possibility of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) relocating to the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center property.

"It's not a bridge replacement," Roberts said, "it all goes back to facilitate the development that the county wants to send to BARC. They not only want to widen Sunnyside, they want to widen Kenilworth. Everyone knows what the aim of the state and the county is and that's to widen the roadways."

Underhanded

Roberts said he has had his suspicions from the early stages of this project.

"The thing that really has me upset about this is the fact that from the very beginning, it was done underhandedly," Roberts said. "I don't know if it was illegal but it was definitely unethical. They appeared before the Council of Governments Transportation Planning Board and said this was just a bridge replacement project, which means it is exempt from the air quality conformity and other requirements because they say they are just taking one out and putting one in just like the old one."

"I at least want to see it go through the appropriate channels," he said. "I don't want to see things undercut because when you do that it lessens the public input on the project. They should be honest about what they want to do with it. If they want FBI at BARC, they should say this is what we want and allow the public to weigh in and say we accept it or we don't accept it."

Despite community and council concern for the project, Wilson said the project is moving forward on a pretty normal track. He estimated that construction might begin in about 18 months to two years.

Wilson added that it is "very common for community groups to have interest in projects so that the department does everything it can to get feedback from the community."

Council will refer the bridge replacement project to the Advisory Planning Board for their review and opinion.

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Frank Pearlman's 80th birthday will be celebrated along with the city's 75th anniversary at a reception and social hosted by Mishkan Torah Synagogue on November 17.

Mishkan Torah Throws A Dual Birthday Bash

On Saturday, November 17 at 7 p.m. Mishkan Torah Synagogue will celebrate both the city's 75th anniversary and the 80th birthday of Mishkan Torah member extraordinary Frank Pearlman.

A reception and social will be followed by city guest speakers including Mayor Judith Davis and Councilmember Leta Mach and Sheila Maffay-Tuthill discussing the Greenbelt Museum's newly-installed Greenbelt Timeline exhibit. Speakers will then reminisce about Pearlman, an active member of the community and of the synagogue.

Two organizations that Pearlman has been involved with for

many years will be present to honor him. Julia Frank from GAIL and Golden Age Club President Cathie Brannan will speak. Synagogue presentations to Pearlman will be followed by giving him a last "final say." The rest of the gala evening will feature Mishkan Torah artists with some of Pearlman's favorite Broadway and Hollywood music.

Pearlman and his late wife Alice were pillars of Mishkan Torah for 52 years; he has held numerous synagogue offices over the years, during and after his stage career.

There is a fee; see ad on page 7.

A Review

Argo's the "Best Bad Idea" Gets a Rousing Ride Here

by Eli Flam

Clapping at a movie? On opening weekend at Old Greenbelt Theatre – Friday, November 2 and Saturday, November 3 – many in the goodly-sized audiences did so as "Argo" tautened toward the end.

It's early 1980, and CIA's Tony Mendez flies into hectic Tehran to smuggle out six Americans holed up in the Canadian Embassy. Militants have taken over the U.S. Embassy and tied up the 53 other American personnel. Mendez is supposed to be a film producer, searching with the half dozen – disguised as Canadian filmmakers – for a putative sci-fi film site.

Played to a fare-thee-well by Ben Affleck (also the director), he has to battle the home office – they call his plan "the best bad idea" – as well as deal with many a wrought-up Iranian.

Did it really happen as seen on the larger-than-life screen? How much does that matter to an audience caught up in the tense action?

Mark Lijek, one of the half-dozen, says in the October issue of The Foreign Service Journal that "a dramatization based on true events" can't substitute for history. (Ditto, says this reviewer for a slew of other "based on" feature films.) And if you want to learn this real story, says Lijek, read Robert A. Wright's "Our

Man in Tehran: The Truth Behind the Secret Mission to Save Six Americans during the Iran Hostage Crisis and the Ambassador Who Worked with the CIA to Bring Them Home" (Harper Collins, 2010).

In the meantime, this deeply-imbuied Hollywood production plunges ahead daily at the Old Greenbelt Theatre through November 22, drawing many viewers.

At the end of the film, Mendez's boss tells him that President Jimmy Carter called Mendez a great American.

"A great American what?" asks Mendez.

"He didn't say."

Free Birding Lecture On Borneo, Malaysia

On Tuesday, November 13 at 7:30 p.m., at the College Park Airport Annex, Dave and Maureen Harvey share tales and photos from their birding adventures in June in Borneo and Malaysia.

They saw about 320 bird species, of which about 280 were "lifers" – a lot of lifers for a couple who have birded in the far corners of the earth. Maureen is president of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS); both are known for fine birding skills and long service to MOS and the Carroll County Bird Club. The talk is sponsored by the Patuxent Bird Club, Prince George's MOS chapter and the Prince George's Audubon Society.

College Park Airport Annex is at 1909 Cpl. Frank Scott Drive. More information is available at 301-262-5148 or www.pgadubon.org.



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Café Meeting to Plan African Programs

On Sunday, November 11 at 1 p.m. there will be a meeting at the New Deal Café to plan a series of programs on Africa over coming months. The series is sponsored by the Peace and Justice Coalition. (Note that the meeting is for planning, with no film to be shown, as mistakenly stated in last week's News Review.)

In February the award-winning film "War Dance," selected by nearly two dozen American and African Greenbelters, will be screened as a highlight of the New Deal Café series.

Other future programs suggested so far include developing a project to assist especially vulnerable groups in Africa, eating at a nearby African café, reading a classic novel depicting how colonialism undermined African culture and watching and discussing videos on Africa-centered topics like sexual violence, how smart phones are creating violence in rural Africa and poverty and economic development. Additional suggestions will be sought at the meeting.

Anyone interested in the programs but unavailable November 11 is asked to email edfallon@gmail.com.

CPAE Photography Club Meets Friday

Photography buffs may like to join The Underexposed, the photography club sponsored by the College Park Arts Exchange (CPAE). Meetings are held Friday evenings from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Old Parish House, 4711 Knox Road, College Park. For more information visit www.facebook.com/groups/photo20740.

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Upcoming Events at New Deal Café

Friday, November 9 pianist John Guernsey plays classical and jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m., then the Bumper Jacksons perform a jazz, ragtime and pre-war country repertoire in celebration of Greenbelt’s 75th Anniversary from 8 to 11 p.m.

Saturday, November 10 Bruce Kritt will play classical guitar from 4 to 6 p.m., followed by John Guernsey with up-tempo jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m. From 8 to 11 p.m. Stream and the Blue Dragons entertain with flutes, Turkish lute, base, didgeridoos and drums of many kinds with original melodies.

Sunday, November 11 acoustic trio Hokum Jazz will play early blues, swing and jug band music from the ’20s, ’30s and ’40s from 5 to 8 p.m. as part of the New Deal Concert Series celebrating Greenbelt’s 75th Anniversary.

Next Week

On Tuesday, November 13 from 7 to 9 p.m. Tower Green performs Renaissance-inspired Tudor rock. Wednesday, November 14 is Pub Quiz night from 7 to 9, with people invited to bring their own team or form one on the spot. Thursday, November 15 pianist Amy C. Kraft plays midday melodies from noon to 2 p.m., with a Songwriter’s Association of Washington-led open microphone session from 7 to 9 p.m. On Friday, November 16 Pianist John Guernsey plays classical and jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m., followed by Marv Ashby and High Octane performing traditional and contemporary bluegrass from 8 to 11 p.m.

Saturday, November 17 from 4 to 6 p.m. Bruce Kritt plays classical guitar, then John Guernsey plays up-tempo jazz piano from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Little Red and the Renegades headline with a mixture of zydeco, New Orleans R&B, funk and blues from 8 to 11 p.m.

Sunday, November 18 begins with the Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., with the monthly kid’s open microphone session for the whole family from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. From 5 to 7 p.m. Darkuba Dawg Hafla provides live Middle Eastern music and dance, with musicians on the oud, darbuka and riq.

City Notes

The GAIL program, in partnership with the Prince George’s County Health Department, provided a free flu clinic for 200 Greenbelt residents at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center.

Animal Control staff reports two cats were adopted, evacuation plans for shelter animals and emergency pet-friendly shelters were reviewed and a cruelty case was filed for the beating of two cats, in which one died.

Planning staff discussed city council’s response to Sector Plan recommendations on alignment of the North/South Connector Road with M-NCPPC staff.

Public Work crews worked around the clock Monday, October 29 into Tuesday to keep streets, sidewalks and storm drains free of fallen trees, limbs and debris from Hurricane Sandy.

Refuse/Recycling/Sustainability collected 21.32 tons of refuse and 14.19 tons of co-mingled recyclable material.

Recreation staff reviewed a proposal to make improvements to the HVAC system at the Community Center.

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Brick Townhome on Corner Lot - Large yard that's tucked away under mature trees. Great for entertaining and gardening. Modern interior - very nice! **SOLD**

Boxwood Village - Remodeled rambler being sold for \$100,000. 3Br, 2ba on quiet street. Large yard and large deck at the 'top of Greenbelt'. **SOLD**

Lower Level 1 BR on Corner Lot - Single-level home with large yard. Lots of storage. Remodeled throughout. This one is ready to go! **SOLD**

Block Townhome With Addition - Updated kitchen w/double sink, dishwasher, flat-top stove & new cabinets. Rear addition for office space. Roomy!

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Corner Lot and Addition - Large, fenced yard. 3 br. 1.5 bath, 1 floor bedroom, tile floor, large storage, kitch. with lots of cabinets & more. **SOLD**

Lower Level 1 BR on Corner Lot - Large stone fireplace and deck overlooking woods. Remodeled throughout with breakfast bar and more. **SOLD**

Upper Level GHI Home - 1 BR home - Extra sitting room can be used for computer area or storage. Dishwasher, remodeled bath and kitchen. \$63,900 **UNDER CONTRACT**

3 Bedroom Townhome - Very close to the center of town. Easy walk to Roosevelt Center. You won't find a better value - priced to sell at \$65,900 **UNDER CONTRACT**

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Brick End Unit - Large Yard - 3 BR brick with tile floor. End Unit with large corner lot. Remodeled with modern kitchen and bathrooms. NICE! **SOLD**

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After Storm Effects, GES Students Unwind

by Anne Gardner

On Wednesday, October 31 parents and neighbors of Greenbelt Elementary School (GES) were treated to the sight of almost 600 princesses, pirates, witches, wizards and other storybook characters marching around the outside of the school building in the second annual Storybook Parade.

Despite the disruption of Hurricane Sandy on the previous two days, the school staff and students were inventive in creating costumes to portray characters from their favorite books.



Principal turned ladybug Monica Gaines leads the parade.



3rd grade teacher Tom Gallo with his Harry Potter students Bela Martins, Evelyn Yun, Rebecca Gardner, Grace Rankel and Carter Snowden.



Jazmyn Gaines-Burns dressed as Cleopatra.

PHOTOS BY ANNE GARDNER

Obama Dominates Votes In Annual Pumpkin Poll

by Doug Love

After my cousin Roseerin and I cast early votes on Halloween, we came home and prepared for the onslaught of Trick-Or-Treaters. The pumpkins were set, the “Vote” pumpkin next to my 49-lb. portrait of the six presidential candidates. I wore my winter suit and sat with a vat of chocolate eyeballs and my laptop reading Poe, the Brothers Grimm, John Christian Anderson and others.

As almost everyone knows, I offer the kids a piece of candy of their choice, then ask them, “If you could vote next Tuesday, who would you vote for?” This scares many sufficiently that “no answer” is usually second place, but usually first is “Mommy” or “Happy Halloween.” This year there was a definite pattern to responses I haven’t seen in all the years I have conducted this poll.

My first visitor at 6:30 proudly said, “Obama,” but her brother said nothing. For the next two hours, trick-or-treaters of all ages came in clumps, so I only needed to explain the procedure to the first few in a bunch. After an hour we had 24 voters, then after another hour, 71. Since there

were no voters after 8 p.m., I closed the polls at 8:40.

Obama dominated the election with 40 of 71 votes cast, or 56 percent. Second place was “not a word” or “silence,” with 7 votes or under 10 percent.

Third was Mitt Romney with six votes, 8 percent. Fourth was “I don’t know” with 4 votes or 5.6 percent. Following the two votes for “You!” were one vote each for Jill Stein, George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, chocolate, Hi!, “not me,” fireman, undecided voter, Mickey Mouse, Trick or Treat, Mommy and Santa.

Santa (Nev.) and Jill Stein (Mass.) are legitimate candidates this year. So were Rocky Anderson (Wisc.), Gary Johnson (Ariz.) and Virgil Good (Way-Soth’n Virginni) but none of these received a vote here, although someone recognized Virgil Good on my pumpkin.

I was glad to see the green candidate get 1.5 percent of the vote but most people in Greenbelt will be relieved to see our youth are following the popular trend across the nation to be vastly for President Obama.

NWVC Programs on Animals, Puppet Show

At the National Wildlife Visitor Center (NWVC) on Wednesday, November 14 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. kids ages 5 to 7 will learn how animals survive the winter.

Some animals migrate or hibernate for the winter but some just stick it out. Discover how they to do it. Take a hike to look for blue jays, squirrels, nut-hatches and other forest animals busy storing nuts, followed by a nutty craft project.

Advance registration is required by calling 301-497-5887.

Little Whooper’s Excellent Adventure Puppet Show will be held on Friday, November 16 at 10:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. at the National Wildlife Visitor Center.

Follow the life of a very special endangered whooping crane who learns to migrate with the help of human friends and meet the characters after the 20-minute show.

This program is for all ages, with no registration necessary. The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the B-W Parkway and Rt. 197.

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A Thanksgiving Day Feast Thursday, November 22nd, 2012

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Garden Greens Salad Bar with assorted toppings and dressings
Pasta Salad with roasted vegetables, feta cheese, and plum tomato vinaigrette
Marinated Tomato and Buffalo Mozzarella Salad
Three Bean Salad
Peel & Eat Shrimp
Freshly Baked Rolls, Biscuits and Cornbread

The Buffet

Cranberry Orange Glazed Turkey with giblet gravy
Fresh Herbs Rubbed Roast Beef with rosemary onion gravy
Lemon Pepper Baked Flounder with a white wine butter reduction
Spiral Sliced Ham with bourbon glaze

Medley of Vegetables
Old Fashioned Macaroni and Cheese
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Garlic Cheddar Smashed Potatoes
Cornbread Stuffing
Traditional Collard Green

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Featuring an Assortment of Traditional & Festive Pies
Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee, Hot tea and Iced Tea

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